RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUIRED EXAMINING GROUP 1792

PATENT Customer No. 22852

Attorney Docket No. 02886.0092-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re A	Application of:).	
Motoki HIRAOKA et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1792
Application No.: 10/530,516)	Examiner: Katherine A Bareford
Filed:	October 5, 2005)	
For:	PRETREATMENT METHOD FOR ELECTROLESS PLATING MATERIAL AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING MEMBER HAVING)	Confirmation No.: 5346 Mail Stop AF
	PLATED COATING		

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

In reply to the Final Office Action dated October 31, 2008, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.116, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

 $\label{lem:reconstruction} \textbf{Remarks/Arguments} \ \ \text{follow the amendment sections of this paper}.$